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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action dated September 24, 2003, having a shortened statutory period expiring on December 24, 2003. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the remarks set forth below.

No amendments to the Specification, Claims, or Drawings are presented in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.